

## LOCAL NEWS.

SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 8

\*For this section rain and snow, southwesterly, shifting to colder northwesterly winds.

**CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.**  
**Christ Church.**—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Dr. Sater.  
**St. Paul's Church.**—Services at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. by Rev. Dr. Norton.  
**Grace Church.**—Services at 7 and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sermon morning and at night by Rev. Mr. Sharp.  
**St. Mary's Church.**—Service at 11 a. m. by Rev. Father Brod-riek. Vespers at 4 p. m.  
**Second Presbyterian Church.**—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. I. Vance.  
**Baptist Church.**—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. I. M. Mercer. Young men's prayer meeting this (Saturday) evening at 7:30.  
**Trinity Meth. Epis. Church.**—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. R. F. Benson.  
**Meth. Epis. Church South.**—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. J. Young.  
**Morning subject:** "From Harshness to Love." evening subject: "God is Love."  
**Meth. Prot. Church.**—Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. W. M. Straver, President Maryland Conference, and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. L. R. Dyott.  
**German Lutheran Church.**—Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. A. Schwoy.  
**Young Men's Christian Association.**—Meeting at the Rooms at 4:30 p. m. Meeting at the Midland depot at 3:30 p. m.; almshouse at 2:30 p. m. and jail at 2 p. m.

**THE SHIPPING LEAGUE.**—The American League held its closing session in Washington yesterday. All the old officers were re-elected. Mr. F. A. Reed, president of the Board of Trade of this city, who spoke for Virginia, said that the efforts the government had made to develop internal commerce and the fact that when they had developed it they dropped it all into the hands of their commercial enemies, furnished one of the most remarkable instances of statesmanship ever known. He assured the convention that Virginia would do everything possible to remedy the evil state of affairs, and that if the matter were made a political issue the league could not count on the support of the Virginia delegation in Congress. He said the State of Virginia was in hearty sympathy with the league. "We are largely interested in this question," he said. "We are prepared to do our part. I have in my possession a list of more than fifty ships which were built in Alexandria, and now her shipping interests are dead. We want the interest revived. It is sad to think of the deplorable condition of Alexandria on account of the shipping interests of the country having died out."

**OPERA HOUSE.**—Mr. J. C. Stewart will appear here to-night in his comedy farce entitled "The Fat Men's Club." The Hazleton (Pa.) Plain Speaker says: "From the time the curtain rose until the fall the people were kept in a continuous roar of laughter. It is not necessary to go into details, but the company is a good one, and should they return we predict for them a packed house."  
 All arrangements have been completed for the benefit of Rathbone Division K. of P. at the Opera House on Monday next, when Mr. Bennett Matlack and his own company will produce "Damon and Pythias." An exchange says: "Mr. Matlack is so far above the average actor that his audiences grow awfully wild with enthusiasm over his work."

**THE C. & O. CANAL.**—Mr. John R. Cowan and other railroad men in Baltimore said yesterday that the Cumberland and Washington Railroad Company, the bidder for the lease of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, backed up by the West Virginia Central Railway Company; that Baltimore coal interests will be injured if the proposed plans are carried into effect, and that the Western Maryland Railroad Company is bound by contract with the Baltimore and Ohio Company not to bid for a lease of the canal.  
 The canal problem continues to exercise the Maryland legislators.

**SUIT FOR DIVORCE.**—Jackson Fisher, in Washington yesterday, filed a bill for divorce against Betty Fisher. They were married at Calpeper court house, in January, 1873, and lived together until December, 1876, when he charges that she deserted him, taking with her his furniture. He further charges that he was deceived by her, being led to the belief that she was a virtuous woman, when the fact was she had had a female child before marriage, and during her married life conducted herself in an improper manner.

**A NEW STEAMER.**—Capt. W. W. Blake, of the Corcoran says: "Within a week or so I hope to launch the new steamer for the Mount Vernon and Marshall Hall Steamboat Company. It is now on the ways at Wilmington, Del., and is indeed a thing of beauty, being 206 feet long in the clear. As soon as it is ready for service it will be brought to Washington, and we will have a jubilee over it among our own people. Charles Macalister will be the name of the new steamer."

**PERSONAL.**—Mrs. A. E. Smoot entertained her many friends at a delightful "tea" given at her residence, on upper Prince street, yesterday evening. Later in the evening there was a pleasant card party.  
 A very pleasant social party was given last night by Miss Clarke, at the residence of Mrs. Minnigerode, on Prince street.  
 Miss Nellie Janney, daughter of Major E. H. Janney, is seriously ill at the residence of Mr. E. L. Daingerfield, in this city.  
 Mr. W. H. Turner, of Norfolk, was in the city to-day.

**THE RAIN.** which commenced yesterday, fell almost continuously during the night and to day. At times to-day the downpour was very heavy and the streets were flooded in every part of the city. In the northwestern section where the new grading has just been completed the water backed up in some places, but it was only during the heaviest of the showers, and it is said the evil can soon be remedied. This evening the rain was followed by snow.

**THE MARKET** to day was attended by but few country people, the inclemency of the weather keeping many at home. The attendance of buyers also was limited. There was but little country produce offered and prices were about the same as last week. The butchers had their usual supplies of fresh meats, and the butchers' benches were well filled with poultry and vegetables.

**POLICE REPORT.**—Last night was rainy and cool with one prisoner and four lodgers at the station house.  
 The mayor this morning disposed of the following case:  
 Oelia Chapman, colored, arrested by officer Young for being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$1.50.

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**MRS. E. POLSTER,**  
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Out for something for the coffers, cried the speculator, and the druggist replied the coughers take Stonebraker's Cough Syrup. Sold every where. 25 cents.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The February term of the Corporation Court begins on Monday next.

A parade of regular troops was held at the Washington Arsenal yesterday in honor of the National Guard Association.

The first issue of the *Piedmont Echo*, to be published weekly in Warrenton and edited by Mr. J. V. Chilton, came out to day.

Recorder Bruce, colored, yesterday took possession of his office in Washington. He has appointed George F. Schayer deputy recorder.

Mr. George E. Price has purchased of Mr. Simon Bloudheim a house and lot on the west side of Fairfax street, between Queen and Cameron, for \$450.

The enumerators for the taking of the census for 1890 are to commence work on the first Monday in June, and they must finish and forward the returns on or before the first day of July.

The steamer Wakefield, from the lower landings, yesterday evening had among her freight twelve Potomac shad, several bunches of herring, white perch and other fish. All were taken to Washington.

**Sight Restored.**  
 Mr. A. K. Hawkes: Dear Sir—About one year ago my sight began to fail, with the usual symptoms, viz: after reading for a short time my eyes became confused and there seemed to be a dimness before them, also accompanied with pains in the eye ball. Being satisfied that glasses were imperatively demanded, applied to you for them, and, I am happy to say, with wonderful results, for after having worn your crystalized lenses for a short time my eyes regained their accustomed strength, and I can now read the finest print for hours with perfect ease without glasses.

**P. S. SPILLER,**  
 Clerk in Land Office.  
 For sale by L. Stabler & Co., druggists, Alexandria Va.

[From the Christian Advocate]  
 Mr. A. K. Hawkes has gained a national reputation as a practical optician, and his celebrated spectral and patent spring eye glasses are known throughout the United States. We are writing this article with a pair of his new crystalized lenses, and they seem to us as transparent as light itself; with them the finest print is as clear as in youth.—[Editor Christian Advocate, Dallas, Tex.]

[Bishop Gregg's Letter.]  
 SEWanee, Tenn., August 20, 1887.

Sir—I have been using your glasses for the greater part of two years; am much impressed with their superiority, and take pleasure in commending them for long use and perfect sight where that is possible. Respectfully,  
**ALEX. GREGG,**  
 Bishop Episcopal Church and Chancellor of the University of the South.

Mr. H. L. CASON, expert optician, will remain until Sunday, Feb. 9th, at the drug store of L. Stabler & Co., the depot for these celebrated glasses. No charge for fitting.

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Washington Steamboat Co. (limited), John B. Padgett, agent.  
 Potomac Steamboat Co., P. B. Hooe, agent.  
 Inland and Seaboard Coasting Co., F. A. Reed & Co., agents.

In addition to the list published Thursday we print to-day—

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 Fisher Bros.  
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## MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

**New York, Feb. 8.**—The opening of the stock market this morning was quiet and steady, but immediately after the opening all the leading shares moved up fractionally. A partial reaction followed, but the market at eleven o'clock, while dull, was firm at fractional advances over the opening. Money easy at 2.

**BALTIMORE, Feb. 8.**—Virginia consolidated; past-due coupon, 10-40; do 3s 66½.

**WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE FEB. 8**

Flour, fine	\$2 00	2 75
Superfine	2 75	3 00
Extra	3 15	3 50
Family	4 15	4 60
Fancy brands	5 00	5 50
Wheat, Longberry	0 72	0 80
Fultz	0 74	0 78
Mixed	0 72	0 79
Fair Wheat	0 61	0 73
Damp and tough	0 55	0 62
Corn, white	0 37	0 39
Yellow	0 37	0 38
Oats	0 34	0 37
Corn Meal	0 40	0 42
Rye	0 44	0 53
Oats	0 26	0 30
Butter, Virginia prime	0 15	0 20
Common to middling	0 12	0 15
Eggs	0 11	0 12
Dressed Chickens (hons)	0 11	0 14
Livestock Turkeys	0 9	0 10½
" " Chickens	0 9	0 10
Spring Chickens	0 9	0 10
Veal Calves	0 4	0 5
Grass Calves	0 2½	0 3½
Dressed Hogs, small	0 4	0 4½
" " large	0 5	0 5½
Irish Potatoes per bushel	0 50	0 70
Onions	0 90	0 100
Apples per bin	2 00	0 350
Dried Peaches, peeled	0 9	0 10
" " unpeeled	0 4	0 5
" " Cherries	0 8	0 10
Racon—Hams, country	0 10½	0 11
Best sugar cured Hams	0 10½	0 11
Butcher's Hams	0 10½	0 11
Breakfast Bacon	0 7½	0 8
Sugar-cured Shoulders	0 6	0 6½
Bulk shoulders	0 5	0 5½
" " l. cl. sides	0 6½	0 6½
" " fat backs	0 5½	0 5½
" " bellies	0 6	0 6½
Bacon Shoulders	0 5½	0 6
" " Sides	0 7	0 7½
Lard	0 11½	0 13
Smoked Beef	0 5½	0 5½
Sugars—Brown	0 6½	0 6½
Off A	0 6½	0 6½
Conf. Standard A	0 6½	0 6½
Granulated	0 6½	0 6½
Coffees—Rio	0 17½	0 21
" " LaGanyra	0 19	0 22
" " Java	0 22	0 24
Molasses B. S.	0 15	0 16
" " C. B.	0 17	0 22
New Orleans	0 25	0 40
Porto Rico	0 22	0 30
Sugar Syrup	0 25	0 35
" " 27½	0 25	0 35
Herring, Eastern, per bin	3 00	3 25
Potomac No. 1	4 25	4 75
" " Family No. 2	4 25	4 75
Do. ½ barrel	2 50	2 75
Mackerel, small, per bin	0 00	0 00
" " No. 3, medium	18 00	22 00
" " No. 3, large fat	20 00	24 00
" " No. 2	25 00	27 00
Clover Seed	3 50	4 25
Timothy	1 50	1 70
Old Process Linseed Meal	31 00	32 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 75	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	5 50
Lump	5 50	5 75
Salt—G. A.	0 70	0 80
" " Fine	1 10	1 50
Turk's Island	1 25	1 30
Wool—Long unwashed	0 26	0 28
" " Washed	0 32	0 35
Merino, unwashed	0 20	0 22
Do. Washed	0 32	0 35
Sham	0 70	0 75
Hay	16 00	18 00
" " Cut do.	20 00	21 00
Wheat Bran ½ ton ½ car.	13 25	13 50
Screen Middlings	14 00	14 50
White Middlings	17 00	17 50
Cotton Seed Meal	24 00	25 00

**ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Feb. 8.**—The offerings to-day were light and prices were about the same as those of yesterday; viz: Wheat 65½, as to quality, with no choice offered, and Corn 36½.

**BALTIMORE, Feb. 8.**—Cotton firm and higher; middling 11½. Flour dull but steady. Wheat—Southern scarce and nominal; Fultz 74½; longberry 75½; No 2 red 81½; steamer No 2 red 75½; Western steady; No 2 winter red spot and Feb 81½; May 82½; May 84½; 54½. Hay dull, firm and unchanged; white 35½; mixed 33½; Western firm; mixed spot and Feb 37½; March 36½; April 37; May 37½; July 38½; 38½; steamer 35 bid. Oats steady; Southern and Penna 24½; Western white 29½; do mixed 27½; graded No 2 white 34½. Rye nominal; prime to choice 54½. 53. Hay dull, firm and unchanged. Timothy 52½. Provisions steady and unchanged. Butter steady; Western packed 15½; best roll 16½; creamery 25½. Eggs at 12½. Coffee steady and quiet; Rio charges fair 19½. Sugar steady; A soft 6½. Whisky unchanged.

**New York, Feb. 8.**—Cotton steady; uplands 11 3-16; Orleans 11 7-16; futures opened easy and closed steady. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn dull and steady. Pork quiet and steady at \$19 25½. Lard dull and easy at \$6 17½.

**Chicago, February 8.**—11 a. m.—Wheat—May 75½. Corn—Feb 28½. Pork—Feb 20½. Pork ribs—Feb 90½. Lard—Feb 58 bid. Short ribs—Feb 90½. 92½.

**Remarkable Rescue.**

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. She then sought Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.'s drug store (wholesale agents). Large bottles 50c and \$1.

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